BRIDGEPORT AS IT WAS

100-50-20-YEARS AGO

(Taken from the Files of The Evening Farmer)

THE NEW TARIFF. The following is a sketch of the

New Tariff of Duties on Imports proury to Congress, on the 9th inst., as directed at the last session.

(From the Mercantile Advertiser.) for the use of the United States, philosophical apparatus, etc., books, and tent of the law. all articles for the use of schools, etc., specimens of natural history, wearing apparel, and personal baggage in actual use of persons coming into the United States:: regulus of antimony, back of cork trees unmanufactured; animals for breeding, unwrought burr stones, clay unwrought, bullion, copper in any shape for use of mint, copper or brass in pigs or bars, old copper, tin in pigs or bars, old brass, old pewter, furs undressed, lapis, caliminaris, plaster of paris, rags of any kind or old clothes, wood and wool, unmanufactured, (except mahogany and dye wood) zinc, tutenage and smelter, and olive oil in casks for manufacturers.

Second-Advalorem duty of seven and one half per cent .- dyeing drugs and their materials not subject to other duty, gum arabic, gun senegal, jewelry, gold and silver, watches and talion, was announced today. He inal inhabitants of Hungary, whose clocks, or parts of either, and frames succeeds Frederick J. Breckbill, who of clocks; laces of thread, silk and

cloths, sail cloth; Russian and German linen, silk and thread gloves and hose; silk, satin and all articles of work. which silk is the material or chief

(Continued tomorrow.)

Mr. Waldron from Havana informs that the citadel of Carthagena held But Mr W. did not hear of any massacre of women and children in previous to camp. town. Many persons, it was known, Dr. Cronan received his commission some manufacturers employing forthe Royalists.

FIFTY YEARS AGO.

STILL THEY COME.

The cry is "still they come." Another alarm of fire was sounded forth, this morning between 8 and 9 o'clock. It proved to be in a dwell- afternoon. ing house occupied by Mr. Hoffman, ed by the occupant of the room step. | shortly. ping on it. As all was safe five minutes before the fire was discovered. his usual alacrity.

a thief visited the premises of Mr. J. one.

Asking Citizenship Doesn't Change Status of Aliens In America

The record breaking rush of persons of German or American birth to of Housatonic avenue, a helper on a apply for first citizenship papers will coal truck, who attempted to learn avail them nothing, it was said today how to drive an auto, taking his first by Naturalizaion Clerk Flanagan of lesson yesterday morning by running the superior court. The mere dec- down Main street with a truck loaded laration of intention to take out pa- with five tons of coal, was given a 10 tion, Some of our people think this pers does not change their standing in days 'suspended sentence by Judge is too much of a price for Democratic this country, he said, and in the eyes Frederic Bartlett, when arraigned in America. They would like to go of the law they will still be regarded the city court this morning charged back to the days when Thomas Jefas alien residents.

According to the best information license. there has been no amendment to the lay in his path a block in Main street. to base such a claim They must re- of the operator he could not stop it. ceive second papers before they can become citizens.

On Saturday over 50 appeared in the naturalization clerk's office and applied for first papers. Clerk Flanagan has arranged for hearings on 200 cases already and has appointments made as far ahead as March 5. Most of today's applicants were born in Germany or Hungary. They seemed to fear that in event of war they would be placed in detention camps.

TELEGRAMS URGE PEACE

Washington, Feb. 12 --- Thousands of telegrams from different parts of the country urging steps to maintain peace between the United States and Germany reached the White House, sult of an organized movement.

John D. Rockefeller is sending eggs daily to the soldiers of the New York state militia on duty near his Tarrytown estate.

DOES RHEUMATISM

Many Doctors Use Musterole

'In Musterole that you ought to buy a small jar and try it. Just spread it on with the fingers. Rub it in. First you feel a gentle glow, then

a delicious, cooling comfort. Musterole routs the twinges, loosens up stiffened from the Hague says that the Ford joints and muscles. Musterole is a clean, white ointment,

made with oil of mustard. It penetrates be closed on March 1 on account of to the seat of pain and drives it away, the breach of diplomatic relations bebut does not blister the tenderest skin. tween the United States and Germany. It takes the place of the mussy, old fashioned mustard plaster.

Musterole is recommended for bronchitis, croup, asthma, pleurisy, lumbago, neuralgia, sprains, bruises, stiff neck, headache and colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). -



ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO. | Henrietta in Trumbull, and carried off one of his best sheep. On Wednesday night, Feb. 7th, his premises were again visited by some person who killed one of his lambs by cutting its

FIRE ALARM ZONES.

well he tolls the bell" First dis- Limited, Ogdensburg, N. Y .- Adv. trict: all south of State street; Second district: between State and Congress; Third district: north of Congress; Fourth district: north of railroad, E. D.; Fifth district: south of railroad, E. D.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

DR. CRONAN APPOINTED. The appointment of Dr. Stephen P Cronan as adjutant of the first batwas appointed regimental adjutant of the tyrannical Magyar g on Colonel Sheridan's staff and ranks and the Habsburg dynasty.

Tifteen per cent.—all articles not as first lieutenant. Dr. Cronan is well We Slovaks have every

> Dr Cronan was born in Naugatuck ate. 25 years ago and will be one of the Slovaks will ever be loyal to Amer-Capt. White in June last year just needed.

had gone from the place in vessels from regimental headquarters this eign labor in their plants. morning. The appointment is made We say to them: If you by Major White, former captain of Slovay labor, that is your best insur-Co. B, and, as was anticipated, he ance. And to the Slovak employes we appointed a man from his former might say, that they should bear in command. He has one other appointment to make, that of sergeant-major which will be announced later.

> The regular drill of the police patrolmen was held in the Armory this

No. 52 Warren street. Fortunately There will be a meeting of local watchful, keep your eyes open and the damage was slight, being con- Plumbers' association this evening at ears to the ground; should you hear or fined to a feather bed and its appur- the office of L. H. Mills for the pur- have reason to suspect anything tenances. The origin is supposed to pose of arranging for the Plumbers' wrong, immediately, but carefully, inbe that of a match on the floor ignit- convention to be held in this city form your superiors or the govern-

The engine was stopped en route, its to health under certain conditions are deavor. services not being required. Chief met by this conclusive answer: that Engineer Shelton was on hand with while it may sometimes kill people best serve the interests of your fatherwho have weak hearts, it does so land. much good in strengthening others On Saturday night, February 3rd. as to far outdo any injury to any- "Austrians," not "Hungarians," not

Would-Be Chauffeur Who Wrecked Autos Released By Court

William Freeman, colored, 22 years,

obtainable by the court officials here | Freeman carried two autos which law passed in 1813 which covered this wrecking them when he collided with situation. The applicants appear to an electric light pole, and broke the to be true if it isn't. think that by applying for first papers show windows of the Traveller Shoe they take themselves out of the alien |Co., State and Main streets. After class but there is no law upon which starting the machine in the absence

Rescue League to Furnish Deserving Dogs With Muzzles

In view of the fact that a number lost their dogs owing to their inability to buy muzzles for the animals in accordance with a recent order promulgated to safeguard the public against rables epidemic, the Animal Rescue league has volunteered to furnish gratis muzzles for the dogs owned by poor families.

ganization to investigate all applica- niggardly way it must give a wrong Saturday These evidently were the tions that persons may make to him impression. to obtain muzzles and furnish the purchase a muzzle.

PROBE PAPER SITUATION

the federal grand jury in New York work being done. The United States is about to begin investigation whether of America is the greatest enterprise there is a criminal conspiracy in re- on earth, and inaugurating its chief straint of trade in the news print pa- executive should be dignified by an per situation. Bainbridge Colby and impressive observance. Mark Hyman will represent the gov-

FORD PEACE BUREAU CLOSES

London, Feb. 12-A Reuter dispatch peace bureau, established by Henry Ford, the American manufacturer, will

TO HONOR LINCOLN'S MEMORY.

Washington, Feb. 10-A large party of prominent persons, many of sist you and you will not be sorry for them members of congress, will leave the counsel. The prices are moderate here late today for Cumberland Gap. Tenn., to attend a unique celebration of Lincoln's birthday under the auspices of Lincoln Memorial University.

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APPLES, ORANGES, D. A. R. President Calls on Member FIGS AND PRUNES

Are The Four Fruits Used in Making "Fruit-a-tives

throat. Two or three years ago medicine in the world that is made posed by the Secretary of the Treas- since, a barn occupied by Mr. Hen- from the juices of fresh ripe fruits. rietta was set on fire, and he lost Thus, it is manifestly unfair to say, "I about ten tons of hay. It is to be won't take Fruit-a-tives because I have hoped that the person or persons tried other remedies and they did me First-Free of duty,-all articles guilty of these acts will be some day no good". On the other hand, the fact detected and punished to the full ex- that "Fruit-a-tives" is entirely different from any other preparation in the world, is just why you should give it a fair trial, in any trouble of the That our citizens may be aware of Stomach, Liver, Bowels, Kidneys or the seat of danger when an alarm of Skin. "Fruit-a-tives',' is composed of fire is given we publish the following the active principle of fruit and the distribution of districts, as the alarm greatest nerve tonic ever discovered. given does not always act up to the 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. words of the old song, "Steady and At all dealers or sent by Fruit-a-tives

SLOVAK LOYALTY.

(Slovak American.)

Experience shows that the average American is not sufficiently acquaintd with our position. We are Slovaks from Hungary, not "Hungarians," not "Magyars," not "Austrians." We are Slovaks and our racial brethren are the Czechs (Bohemians), Russians, Poles, etc. Our fathers are the origthis time ruthlessly trampled upon by the tyrannical Magyar government

We. Slovaks, have every reason to free, and subject to any specific duty. known in this city and has a host of be grateful to the U. S. of America can give, such as motorcar driving, Twenty per cent.—Linens of all friends, many of whom will be hap- for the asylum it has furnished us kinds, cambrics, lawns, hempen pily surprised by his promotion. The from foreign oppression and now even appointment is justly deserved and is more grateful for the sympathetic refearned after seven years of earnest erence to our freedom by our great President in his address to the Sen-

youngest staff officers in the militia. ica and especially at this time can He was a member of Company G of America depend upon them. True to Waterbury, Second Regiment, for five their traditions, they will rally to its years. His term expired in 1895 and flag. They are born soldiers, great out after the surrender of the town, on removing to this city he was re- numbers have had military training in and was at length taken by assault, enlisted in Company B, Fourth Regi- the old country and will offer their and its defenders put to the sword. ment, and was appointed corporal by services to their adopted country when

We notice anxiety on the part of

mind that there are other ways of being of service to their adopted country besides taking up arms in its defense. Tens of thousands of you are engaged in manufacture of every description. Political fanatics with interests inimical to America, will seek to cripple its industries by plot and conspiracy; it is your duty to be ment authorities. Guard the plant as if it were your own-and this applies Critics of the bicycle as injurious to every line of industry and en-

Thus you will show your loyalty and

Do not forget you are Slovaks-not "Magyars," and above all, properly register yourself as Slovak, when applying for positions. Many Slovaks are still interned in Canada as "Magyars" or "Austrians," because of improper registration.

Remember also that America's cause is the cause of freedom, and freedom is the cause of the Slovaks!

DISPLAY AND AMERICANISM.

Some discussion has started over the question of appropriating \$25,000 for the coming presidential inaugurawith operating a machine without a ferson tied his horse to the rail fence and walked unattended up the capitol steps. To be sure that story is said today to be mythical. But it has been told so many times that it ought

Monarchical governments of course have to overawe the people. They pay out the taxpayers' money in costly display to keep the taxpayers quiet. Tinsel is sometimes more effective than good laws in subduing popular unrest. It is a part of the kinging business.

Our people do not need any money thrown away for impressing them with the greatness of the presidential office. They understand that perof poor children and families have feetly anyway. At the same time, no one in America wants things to look cheap. Giving a \$75,000 president a \$7,500 inauguration would be about like a business man going to the office in a \$10 suit.

Washington is one of the big capitals of the world. Representatives of all foreign powers are there watch-George R. Hair, Hunting and Lindley ing to see how Uncle Sam does things. street, has been designated by the or- If he conducts his business in a

When the head of a public institusame if he finds they are unable to tion like a college, or philanthropy begins work, the occasion is always made much of. It is a time for review of the past and anticipation of the future. A certain amount of Washington, Feb. 12-It was said ceremony and form is appropriate, oday at the department of justice that according to the importance of the

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Calls on Members to Assist the Nation



MRS. W.C. STORY

Mrs. Williams Cumming Story president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, has issued a call to the 95,000 members of the society to organize in their 1,500 chapters all over the United States for service to the country, in the making of hospital supplies, the classifying of different kinds of services the women telegraphy, stenography and all other kinds of work that may be done by women. A record of all available service with name, address and degree of efficiency is to be sent to the presidred and Sixth street, New York.

Fire destroyed an entire block of business houses at Welch, W. Va., at a loss of \$250,000.

With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, let us strive in; to bind up the nation's wounds; to care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow and for his orphan—to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace, among ourselves and with all nations.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN, 1865

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